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In re Application of:) Confirmation No. 8915 Docket No. DN2001236 David Ray Hubbell, Jr., et al) Art Unit: 1733 For: ASYMMETRIC MOLD TREAD) Examiner: **CONTOUR** I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as Serial No.: 10/044,404) first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Filed: January 11, 202 Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington,) DC 20231, on 02 (Date of Deposit) zyk, Reg. No. 38,744 Applicant, Assignee or Registered Representative) Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

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In accordance with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §1.56, the attached form PTO-1449 is provided listing the references known to applicants which are somewhat related to the present invention. Copies of the listed references are submitted herewith.

This submittal is presented before a first office action.

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